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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

Jouko Savolainen

Serial No: 09/674,034

Filed: January 3, 2001

For: METHOD FOR ISOLATION AND  
MODIFICATION OF PROTEINS

Art Unit: 1653

Confirmation No.: 9155

Examiner: Abdel A. Mohamed

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Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Appeals from the decision dated July 15, 2003 of the Primary Examiner finally rejecting claims 1-18. The item(s) checked below are appropriate:

1. ☒ A three-month extension of time to respond to the final rejection is hereby requested under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136 is enclosed with the proper fee.
2. ☒ A timely response to the final rejection has been filed, as provided in 841 O.G. 1411.
3. The application is on behalf of
  - ☒ a small entity  
Applicant claims small entity status.
  - ☐ other than a small entity.

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☐ not required (fee paid in prior appeal).

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Respectfully submitted,

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